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F. Andrew Turley Supervisory Attorney Central Enforcement Docket Federal Election Commission Washington D.C. 20463

Re: MUR 4687

Dear Mr. Turley:

Your letter informing Vincent Panichi and the Voinovich for Senate Committee of MUR 4687, was received by them on Thursday, November 13, 1997.

When the letter was received, Governor Voinovich was out of the state. Governor Voinovich remains out of the state until next Thus, he has been unavailable for me to consult with him regarding the appropriate response. Moreover, 15 days from November 13, 1997, falls right after the Thanksgiving holiday. Because of the holiday and the schedules of Governor Voinovich and others involved, we will need additional time to prepare a proper response to your inquiry.

Accordingly, I am requesting an additional twenty days in which to respond to your letter with respect to MUR 4687. would set a due date for our response on December 18, 1997. Please call me at 614-221-4000 to confirm this extension. Thank you for your consideration of this request.

truly yours,

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cc: Jennifer H. Boyt